

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Patent Application of:)
THOMSON ET AL.)
Serial No. 09/658,509)
Filing Date: SEPTEMBER 8, 2000)
For: BICYCLE STEM FOR ENLARGED)
HANDLEBAR PORTIONS AND)
ASSOCIATED METHODS)

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts
mailed October 24, 2000, Applicants enclose the following:

1. Filing fee of \$548.00 for a small entity (fees
calculated as shown below):

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FOR:	# FILED		# EXTRA		RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE						\$ 355
TOTAL CLAIMS	37	-20	17		X 9	\$ 153
INDEP CLAIMS	4	- 3	1		X 40	\$ 40
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2. Surcharge of \$65.00 for small entity.
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
4. Copy of "Notice to File Missing Parts of
Application--Filing Date Granted" mailed October 24, 2000.
5. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity

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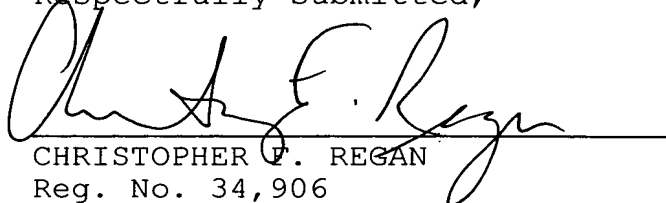
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6. Assignment to **L.H. THOMSON COMPANY, INC.**
together with \$40 recordal fee and cover page.

Checks in the amounts of \$613.00 to cover the filing fee and surcharge, and \$40.00 to cover the assignment recordal fee are enclosed.

If any additional extension and/or fee is required, or if any additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. **01-0484**.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Christopher F. Regan", written over a horizontal line.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$384.
 - \$306 for 17 total claims over 20.
 - \$78 for 1 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1204.

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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